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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. January 27, 2020 - For the month of January 2020, topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 0 short, 56 adequate, and 44 surplus, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 0 short, 56 adequate, and 44 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 1 percent very poor, 2 poor, 21 fair, 66 good, and 10 excellent.

Corn harvested was 49 percent.

Sunflowers harvested was 67 percent.

Livestock Report: Cattle and calf conditions rated 1 percent very poor, 3 poor, 16 fair, 72 good, and 8 excellent. Cattle and calf death loss rated 3 percent heavy, 74 average, and 23 light. Calving progress was 5 percent complete.

Sheep and lamb conditions rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 17 fair, 72 good, and 9 excellent. Sheep and lamb death loss rated 3 percent heavy, 64 average, and 33 light. Lambing progress was 8 percent complete.

Hay and roughage supplies rated 4 percent very short, 20 short, 67 adequate, and 9 surplus.

Stock water supplies rated 0 percent very short, 1 short, 82 adequate, and 17 surplus.

The next monthly report (for February) will be issued February 24, 2020. Weekly reports will begin April 6th for the 2020 season.

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